Mr. Robert Katz
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Dear Mr. Katz,

Please excuse my typing. I'm 81, unwell, and limited in what I can do.

I do appreciate your thoughtful letter. However, what you believe, and I am sure believe sincerely, comes from a lack of knowledge of the established official fact. You have probably been influenced by the books based on theorized conspiracies. All of them are faulty in varying degrees.

From the official evidence itself there is no possibioity that Posner reached the right conclusion. What was published as Case Open is only 20-25% of what I wrote. I took his thin prosecutor-type case point by point and compared it with the official evidence. What emerged is not what I began intending to do, the exculpation of Oswald with the official evidence only.

Ponsner is a shyster and a plagiarist who conceived a commercial formula and his publisher went for that formula, went for it big. What is more, in the two months since Case Open appeared I've not heard a word from him, for his publisher or from any lawyer speaking for either.

Posner also played games with his interviews, using them only to circumvent the official evidence, and several of those he claims to have interviewed denied that he did. One who became a friend of mine, Jim Tague, phoned to tell me Posner never interviewed him.

I have not tried to reconstruct the crime and I have no whodunit theory. I limit myself to the official evidence almost 100%. Because the crime itself was never really investigated officially and wasn't intended to be there is no basis for any responsible theorizing.

When my first book appeare Specter declined quite a few requests that he confront me, on Philadelphia radio and TV. I regard him a a Judenrat. His many "mistakes" were not that at all. He knew exactly what he was doing when he did it. Most notorious of all with his bastard bullet of that single bullet theory they all knew, Specter in particular, was impossible. I trace what caused the need for that in my Post Mortem.

In the event you are interested in assassination fact rather than theories I enclose a list of my books. I had to become a publisher to open the subject. My first book dates to February, 1965.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg

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